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U.S. Continuation Patent Application of NABIL N. GHALY WATER is a Continuation of U.S. Reissue Appln. S.N. 08/376,789, Filed January 23, 1995, which is a Reissue Appln. of U.S. Patent No. 5,286,037 of February 15, 1994)

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Examiner: NOT YET ASSIGNED

For:

ELECTRONIC HAND-HELD LOGIC GAME

New York, NY - September // , 1998

Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

STATUS LETTER

sir:

Kindly advise us as to the status of the above-captioned The last communication received from the patent application. Patent and Trademark Office was on January 20, 1998, when we received the official Filing Receipt . We subsequently submitted a Request For A Corrected Filing Receipt on January 27, 1998; a receipted postcard, stamped with the date of January 30, 1998, was receive by the undersigned on February 5, 1998. correspondence has been received. A duplicate copy of this letter, together with a stamped, self-addressed return envelope are enclosed to expedite a reply.

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Notice Regarding Litigation

Sir:

Applicant wishes to inform the Examiner that U.S. Patent No. 5,286,037 for which reissue is being sought, is presently in litigation in two civil actions pending in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of New York, CV-97-7037 and CV-98-5239. In each litigation the defendant has affirmatively challenged the validity of the '037 patent.

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In order to avoid duplication of effort, it is requested that action in the present reissue proceeding be suspended pending termination of the litigations.

Respectfully submitted,

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From: N. Ghaly Michael O'NEIL To Examiner Rof. Notice Reger ding Litigation Plan Mr. O'NEAL, of "Notice Regarding Litigation" october 5, 1998, concerning Application Number 08/962,971 Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. Sincarily Mallow Nabil N-Chay BY FAX OT

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